

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Saturday, March 27, 2021
9:00 AM PST

Day 1 (Saturday): Gusty conditions will continue across the southern California mountains this morning, with gusts of 20-30 mph expected. No significant impacts are expected.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

03/27/21 - 04/02/21

Saturday - Friday

- Gusty conditions prevail over the southern California mountains this morning, with gusts of 20-30 mph at times
- Mostly dry and quite warm conditions expected through the weekend and all of next week statewide, with temperatures warming through the 80s in the Central Valley and even into the 90s at times over the deserts of southern California
 - Warmest days look to be Sunday and Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday
 - A few light showers could develop across far northwest California Sunday evening
- Periods of gusty winds arrive across northern California Sunday The Sacramento Valley may see wind gusts in the 25 to 35 mph range, locally up to 40 mph
 - Strongest winds will be Monday night and Tuesday morning when gusts of up to 50 mph are likely above 2500 feet in the Bay Area and possible also for the Sierra mountains and foothills of northern California
- Periods of gusty winds will spread into southern California Monday through Wednesday
 - A moderate Santa Ana looks to develop Tuesday and persist into Wednesday, potentially causing elevated fire weather conditions to develop across southern California into mid week



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

03/27/21- 04/02/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds			Inland	Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern	
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)				Southern	Southern		
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

03/27/21 - 03/29/21

No significant precipitation is expected through Monday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

04/01/21 - 04/09/21

6-10 Day Outlook (April 1 – April 5)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are favored for the majority of the state, with the exception of far northwest California where near normal temperatures are favored

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored for most of the state, with near normal precipitation favored for far southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (April 3 – April 9)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation is favored statewide



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